CITY AND DISTRICT.

The difference between a loose vague boast and an affidavit giving exact figures is a wide one, and of great significance to a person interested in the statement. THE STAR succars to its circulation. This is a point of great im portance to advertisers.

THE SEAL FISHERIES. Secretary Windom Opposed to Govern-

mental Management. Secretary Windom has written a letter to Senator Frye in response to one from the Senator inclosing Senate'bill 1969, "to repeal so much of the act of July 1, 1870, chapter 189, as authorizes the leasing of the rights to engage in taking fur seals from the islands of St. Paul and St. George, and for other purposes," and requesting the Secretary to furnish the committee with suggestions touching the merits of the bill and the propriety of its passage.

The Secretary takes the ground that it would not be wise or practicable for the department the seal and marketing the pelts for the government. The report of Secretary McCulloch, the reports of the ways and means committee of the Forty-ninth Congress and of the committee on merchant marine and fisheries of the last Congress are quoted in sup-port of the present system of leasing, and the Secretary states that the results from the system have been very satisfactory to the government. As a further argument against Senator Frye's plan he states that the government agents would be at a great disad-vantage in offering the pelts in the public market by reason of the fact that they could not enter into the secret and confidential trade relations necessary to success in this business.

They could not adopt the customary business methods. "Such a method," he says, "of conducting the government business would evoke incessant charges of fraud, collusion and embezzlement, no matter how honestly the work might be done. The whole business would be involved in continual scandal and annoyance and the Secretary would be harrassed until the subject became simply unendurable. Follow-ing such a failure would probably come an attempted return by the government to the contract system, but with a market meantime demoralized or destroyed and the value of the seal industry correspondingly depreciated. In my judgment any minor faults attending the contract system can better be removed by increased vigilance of administration than by an abolition of the system itself and the substitution of a policy which is open to objections so many and so fundamental. In view of these self-evident difficulties the present system commends itself to my judgment as the wisest and best for the government to adopt for the future. * I believe that neither the interests of the government nor of the natives on those islands would be subserved by the passage of this bill." The Sunflower as the National Emblem.

To the Editor of THE EVENING STAR:

The sunflower, once sacred to the sun god of Mexico, is, like the dahlia, which it resembles, a native of this continent. Being a useful and favorite plant, easily cultivated, it is universally diffused from Maine to Mississippi, which boasts its county of Sunflower and a river of the same name. There are nearly fifty species of this magnificent flower. The sun and stars are our symbols. Foreigners accuse our flag of being plain and mean in design compared with the gorgeous banners of other nations. The emblematic sunflower should adorn our banner, as the rose and lily flourished on the standards of France and England in the days of chivalry. With the eagle gazing at the sun surrounded by stars the flag of America would be hard to RICHARD STUART EVANS.

Fire in Montgomery County.

The residence of Mr. Robert Walker Abert, within about half a mile of the home of his father. Charles Abert, esq., near Norbeck, in Montgomery county, was destroyed by fire Wednesday afternoon. The fire is supposed to have originated from sparks escaping from the chimney and lodging on the shingle roof. It out 1 o'clock in the afternoon that Mrs. Abert while in her bed room observed a dense smoke outside, and running down stairs found the rear of the house in flames. She attempted to return to her room, but the smoke rendered it impossible. A strong wind carried the flames through the house and allowed oppor-tunity to save only the furniture and library on the first floor. All the bed room furniture and clothing were consumed. When Mr. Abert returned from Washington in the evening two chimneys and a smouldering pile of ruins were all that were to be seen of the comfortable home he had left in the morning. His family found refuge in the home of his father.

Is Hypnotism Dangerous? To the Editor of THE EVENING STAR:

Your copying from the Pall Mall Budget an account of apocryphal cases of suicide and assassination under the influence of hypnotism leads me to express doubt that any such crimes have been thus committed. There is certainly no authentication of any. I do not say they might not take place; indeed. I have no doubt that at short range, where the responsive is near to the mesmerized, vicarious assassination and suicide are both possible as are forgery, perjury, arson and sexual offenses. And this act, instead of being a reason why hypnotism should be avoided and ignored, is a reason why it should be investigated and studied. What, then, shall be said or thought of the medical societies of a great city which deliberately refuse to examine this potent force or take any means to inform themselves concerning its conditions and limitations? The more dangerous to human life and human rights hypnotism can be shown to be the more promptly should medical men take it in hand and the more earnestly they should study its conditions and limitations. W. A. CROFFUT.

A Flag Over Every School House. To the Editor of THE EVENING STAR:

There is a law in Pennsylvania which requires that the stars and stripes shall be hoisted over every public school house in the state, and shall remain so during school hours. This is a good idea and should be carried out in this city, the capital of the nation. Our beautiful national emblem floating in the breeze and every morning greeting the eyes of the children cannot but awaken and inculcate the spirit of true patriotism. It is suggested that the Commissioners furnish a flag for every public school building. If it is pleaded that there is no ap-propriation for that purpose then I suggest that each boy and girl make a contribution of one cent toward the object and request the superintendent or teacher to purchase the same. In this way a beautiful flag can be bought and each day it can be hoisted and lowered by a different boy, designated by the teacher. This the boys will be glad to do. Let us have the flags. Which school will be the first? W.K.M.

THE COURTS.

COURT IN GENERAL TERM-Judges Hagner, Cox and James. Yesterday-Butler agt. Strong, rule set for

hearing on Monday next. Brent agt. Brent; continued. Dunn agt. Martin; continued. Miller agt. Raum; ordered on calender. CIRCUIT COURT .- Judge Montgomery.

Yesterday-U.S. agt. Phillips; for defendant. EQUITY COURT-Judge Coz. Yesterday—Oliver agt. Williams; order appointing Samuel Maddox guardian ad litem. Butler agt. Strong; order requiring Examiner Charies P. Montgomery, who has been taking testimony for defendant Strong, to show cause why an order of the court should not be passed directing him to file with the clerk of the court such of said evidence taken by him as has been already written out and completed. The or-der was certified to the general term to be heard in the first instance. Hollohan agt. Hol-lohan; appearance of absent defendant or-dered. Farrell agt. Farrell; appearance of ab-

ent defendant ordered. Curtis agt. Curtis; di-CRIMINAL COURT-Chief Justice Bingham. Yesterday-Horace K. Fulton, violating pawnbroker's law; recognizance set aside. Horace Wells, assault; appeal, plead guilty, fined \$1 and costs. Charles Dean, embezzlement; not guilty. Henry Wallace, assault to kill; guilty, sentence suspended. Benjamin Warren, conspiracy; plead not guilty, bonded in \$200. Peter McMahon, assault; forfeiture set aside on the payment of cost. Michael Meany and Richard Meany, larceny from the person, held for

y from the the grand jury in \$300 each. PROBATE COURT-Judges Cox and James. Yesterday—John McNally; estate petitioned for letters filed. Estate of Francis A. Smith; inventory filed. Estate of Henry Jones; petition for letters filed. Estate of Daniel Sullivan will filed with assent of next of kin. Estate of Truman S. Seaman; letters of administration issued to Henry Howes; bond \$300. Estate of Edward Godley; inventory of personalty re-turned by administratrix and application to sell. Estate of Elizabeth S. Boyd; additional

ANACOSTIA.

G. A. R.—John A. Logan Post, G. A. R., at its meeting this week received applications for membership from Rev. A. Richardson of the M. E. church and Mr. G. W. Eno. Efforts are being made for the organization of a women's relief corps in connection with the post, and plans are already laid for some jolly camp fires. Notes.—Mrs. J. L. Grimes left this morning to visit the family of her son in Chicago,-The police here are now all on duty except The police here are now all on duty except Officer Branson.—Mr. Geo. H. Armstrong; who was confined for some time to his home in Virginia by sickness, is attending to business here again.—A new building is being erected on Bridge street that will be used as a dry goods store.—The 1,000-foot rule laid down by the Commissioners will, if adhered to, close three retail liquor houses here or cause the proprietors to move along a few blocks. the proprietors to move along a few blocks.

Attended to It Promptly.

To the Editor of THE EVENING STAR: Thanks to your insertion of the note, "What Georgetown Passengers Want," the managers of the Metropolitan railroad company have adopted the suggestion as to lights and swinging signs to the Boundary cars with a promptness that deserves commendation.

A RESIDENT OF GEORGETOWN.

to attempt to conduct the seal fur trade, killing National League Meeting Postponed. The meeting of the National league, which was to have been held next Tuesday, has been posponed until the following day, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock noon. Chairman Young of the board of arbitration has called a special meeting of the board, to be held at the Fifth Avenue hotel, New York city, next Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Presidents Day and Byrne will hold a conference with Atlantic and New England league officials with a view of settling the controversy

over disputed clubs. The Atlantic association will meet in New York today, when an effort will be made to complete its circuit.

Killed at a Funeral. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Payne were killed yesterday afternoon while on the way to witness the interment of their five-months-old child in Rose Hill cemetery, Chicago. Simon Anderson, the driver of their carriage, and Mrs. Reprogal, who was accompanying them on their sad errand, were also killed. Near the cemetery gate the carriage had to cross the tracks of the Chicago and Northwestern rail-road. The hearse reached the grave yard en-trance without mishap and was being followed by the carriage. No flagman is stationed at the crossing by the railroad company and the driver did not see the in-bound Chicago ex-press until it was almost upon him. The engine struck the center of the carriage and Mr. and Mrs. Payne were dashed to death in an in-stant. Their bodies were thrown about thirty feet and were mutilated beyond recognition. The carriage was utterly demolished. Anderson, the driver, was picked up insensible. He had several ribs broken and his skull was badly fractured. Mrs. Reprogal's injuries were equally severe and each died in a short time. The nine-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Payne was also in the carriage, but, strangely enough, escaped with slight scalp wounds. Fifteen coaches containing additional mourners were in the rear of the Payne vehicle, but were unharmed.

Terrible Sufferings of a Crew. Three schooners-Ocean Belle, Sylph and Virgesco-from Newfoundland, arrived at Halifax yesterday. The crew of the Virgesco were without water for three days and when the schooner finally anchored in St. Peter's bay, C. B., all hands were in an exhausted condition and badly frost bitten. A blizzard prevailed for six hours on January 8, and about forty fishing vessels were caught in it and lost all of their deck loads.

A Madman's Headlong Leap. Wednesday night the authorities at the Norristown, Pa., insane hospital held the monthly ball for the patients, which came off in the female patients and women attendants were partners of the men. As the evening wore on the atmosphere became very close and the win-dows were lowered. Isaac G. Anthony, one of the patients, who was confined in the violent ward, as he came waltzing by one of the windows flung his partner from him and, making a flying leap, drove headforemost through it. He alighted upon the ground 30 feet below, feet foremost, and made his escape. Anthony is a large and athletic patient, committed from Philadelphia, where it is supposed he has gone.

No trace of him has been discovered.

Goebler Got His Man.

A little man, with a slouch hat, which was well drawn over his eyes, tripped down the steps of the Astor house, on Broadway, at a few minutes past 9 o'clock yesterday morning. living about three miles from Franklinton, At the corner of Vesey street he met Lewis was a juror in court and was going home Davis, a man whom he had been looking for for weeks. They exchanged a few words. Davis turned on his heel and started away. The little man, Richard A. E. Goebler, who was buncoed out of \$1,500 recently, drew out a pistol and told Davis to halt. Davis, who is very powerful and much younger than the little man, stood still and turned pale.

This strange tableau attracted hundreds who

were passing. The wiry little German held the pistol in position until Officer Barry of the Broadway squad came and took the weapon from the excited man. The pair were then taken to the Tombs. Goebler had been in this city but a short time from Butte City, Mont., when he was buncoed. Davis was held for

Died After Circumcision.

An infant, thirteen days old, son of W. J. Wreschinski, died on Wednesday in New York of blood poisoning. The physician who was called in a few hours before the death refused to grant a burial certificate, and the case was reported to the coroner's office by the parents. It was found, upon inquiry, that the rite of circumcision had been performed the previous day by Rabbi Aaron of 82d street. The child was greatly weakened by hemorrhage, blood poisoning set in within a few hours and death followed.

County-Seat War in Texas. A shooting affair occurred at Johnson City, Blanco county, Tex., Wednesday, growing from the controversy in the county over the removal of the county seat from Blanco to Johnson City. There was an election on Monday night and when it was known that it had resulted in favor of Johnson City a row ensued. which was started by a difficulty between Ben Cage, a prominent business man of Blanco, and Zack Lloyd, a Johnson City man, in which the former shot Lloyd through the right lung. Lloyd will die. Shooting between the two factions then became general and Deputy Sheriff Crosby was wounded in the thigh.

A Civil Court Cannot Interfere.

At Dubuque, Iowa, Judge Ney has rendered a decision in the famous case of Father Jean agt. Bishop Hennesy of the Catholic diocese. Father Jean was silenced a few years ago by the bishop for disobedience. His suit was to recover \$100,000 damages against the bishop. Judge Ney decided that the bishop acted within his ecclesiastical authority in deposing the priest and that the case was one a civil court could not review, belonging solely to ecclesiastical authority. The plaintiff will appeal.

A Double Life.

A Parsons, Kas., special says: Larkins, the forger, now in jail at Sioux City, Ia., for forgery, has been a resident of this city for three years, and no one suspected that he was more than he claimed to be-an ex-professor of geology and ex-Methodist minister. He frequently filled the Methodist pulpit and gave lectures on geology. Whenever he got whard up" he would leave town for a time and invariably return with plenty of money. He said he made the money lecturing, when in reality it is supposed he procured it by forgery. His arrest was a great shock to this community.

One of John Brown's Men Dies.

J. X. Biedler, who died of influenza at Helena, Montana, Wednesday, was a famous scout, and during the Kansas troubles was John Brown's right-hand man. He has been a tes marshal for years. At one period he led the vigilants and relieved Montana of many bad characters. At another time he conducted Wells, Fargo & Co.'s stages across the plains, fighting the Indians as part of his routine duties.

World's Fair Contest. Washington Special to the Philadelphia Ledger, The New York delegation that came here to secure the International Exposition for their city not only made a good impression but a inventory of personalty returned by administratrix.

At Providence, R.I., a mill operator has succeeded in carding, spinning and weaving the product of the Chinese Rama plant, which has hitherte been deemed impossible.

decided success. At night at the Arlington hotel, upon invitation to socially meet Mr. Depew and his associates, an elaborate lunch was served. Its abundance and quality may be inferred from the fact that forty cases of "Munm's Extra Dry" were sold to lubricate the terrapin, salads and other viands that were served. decided success. At night at the Arlington

THE BLY WOMAN.

She Plays Engineer, Writes Slang and Whoops Things Up.

Nellie Bly is somewhere in Kansas coming astward on a special train at a cost of \$300 a day. She telegraphed from Albuquerque, N. M., yesterday as follows:

"The ladies come into the car take a look at its contents and seem specially interested in a red and brass temple chair, presented to me in China. It is a large, awkward contrivance, in which nothing but a broken-backed joss could sit with any comfort. The monkey, which I got at Singapore, also interests them. He is an intelligent monkey, but very bad tempered. He bit several persons on the steamer Oceanic. I keep him caged, with his bars toward the window, so he can see the country as we skim along.

"The ride through the San Francisco range has been quite exciting. I sat in the engine coming over the Arizona divide and Engineer Chas. Wood rashly gave me charge of the lever. Every now and then I pulled the throttle wide open and you should see us spin along. When we had a straight piece of track I let the great machine go for all it was worth and I am away a the Atlantic and ure nothing ever went over the Atlantic and Pacific track in quicker time, Master Mechanic John Puller was on the engine and he says that he never saw quicker running. We were up 8,000 feet above the sea level. I got on the engine at Williams and rode to Flagstaff moun-tain, one of the highest of the San Francisco range. We could see Flagstaff's snow-covered peak for thirty miles. It has snow on it eleven months in the year, I am told. First it was on ne side of the engine and then on the other, the windings of the track making it appear to change its position. I kept one eye on the track and the other on Flagstaff peak and watched myself approach it. When Engineer Wood wasn't looking I'd give the lever a little pull, get on a little more steam and revel in the greedy manner in which engine 93, a splendid

eight-wheeler, swallowed up the track. Perhaps the engine didn't roll! Fireman Sid Armstrong had all he could do to keep his feet and once or twice seemed trying to follow his shovel and coal into the furnace. A man away ahead on the track would one moment the size of a pin. I'd blow the whistle and he would no sooner step to one side than we would be whizzing past him. I saw one man hold his hat on as we went by. The tele-graph poles came and went like flashes of lightning. For a new engineer the master mechanic said I was a rushing success.

THE RHYNLAND'S ROUGH VOYAGE A Series of Terrific Gales That Tested the Courage of the Sailors.

The steamer Rhynland, which sailed from Antwerp January 4 and arrived at New York yesterday, experienced some of the roughest the English channel she encountered strong gales from the west, with heavy seas, but in the Atlantic the gale became a perfect hurricane, with mountainous seas which swept over her decks. The Rhynland withstood these gales easily until January 12, when one of the most terrific storms ever experienced came on. The sea was terrible, and mountainous waves swept over the decks with such fury that six of the life boats on the upper deck were stove. At life boats on the upper deck were stove. At about the same time a terrific wave boarded the ship astern, crushing in the turtle back over the steering machinery and rendering all steering impossible.

Then it was that the steamer was saved from almost inevitable wreck through the heroic ex-ertions of Capt. Weyer and his efficient officers, for the sailors, fearing to expose themselves. where the huge seas were continually sweeping over the decks, were only encouraged by the noble example of their captain and his officers, who went immediately, at the risk of their lives, to the scene of the disaster. The damage was temporarily repaired, so as to render steering SALES ROOMS, 920 PENN. AVE. N.W., ON spacious chapel. As is customary on such oc-January 17, when it abated, and the wind blowasious the male attendants danced with the ing from N.N.W. the steamer was enabled to put on all sail and hopes of reaching New York in a few days were entertained, but the next day dispelled these illusions, for a gale even more terrific than the former one came on, lasting

to the following morning.

At this time it was found that the coal was

At this time it was found that the coal was running short, so the ship was headed for Halifax, where she arrived at about noon on the 20th. She proceeded again, and during the remainder of the voyage had heavy westerly gales and a high southerly sea with frequent snow squalls and intensely cold weather.

A Juror Murdered.

A special to the Raleigh News and Observer from Louisburg. N.C., gives an account of a sensational murder in Franklin county night before last. Ransome Gill, a well-to-do farmer living about three miles from Franklinton, was a juror in court and was going home from Louisburg in his buggy late in the evening, when he was mysteriously shot. He was found the next day six miles from Louisburg with a bullet hole through his head. His horse was found unhitched and tied about 300 yards away. Gill was found lying on his face with his overcoat on and both hands in his pockets. The ball had apparently been fired as was found unhitched and tied about 300 yards away. Gill was found mystery.

Mr. Groesbeck Hurt.

Yesterday afternoon while the Hon, W. S. Groesbeck of Cincinnati was riding in his phaeton on the Grandin road in Woodburn the phaeton on the Grandin road in Woodburn the speaked of Cincinnati was riding in his phaeton on the Grandin road in Woodburn the first of the following metes and each of trust on permiss, on the first of the holder of the holde

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his horse started to run away and threw him, injuring him about the head. It is believed he is not seriously hurt.

in practice as a physician at 46 Beach street, New York, was convicted in the general sessions of assaulting Carrie Purcell, aged eight. Judge Fitzgerald sentenced Aldrich yesterday to state prison for two years and eleven months.

Reform in Russia.

An imperial ukase directs that the system of dministrative reforms elaborated by Count Colstoi while minister of the interior shall commence in February in the following provinces: Moscow, Riazan, Tchernigoff, Kaluga, Vladimir and Kostroma.

As a consequence of scrutiny into the court expenses the czar has abolished that department of the imperial household known as the general administration of the palaces. The chief of this administration was Prince Obolensky, aide-de-camp to the emperor, but the man who performed the duties was Col. Guer-

Florida's Race Conflict.

The Escambia rifles arrived at Apalachicola, Fla., last night, thirty-seven strong. Guards were posted throughout the town and every white man not on duty slept with arms within reach. Thirty-five ring leaders of the negro strikers were arrested yesterday, but the chief one, Sanches V. Thomas, cannot be found. One negro was shot yesterday while fleeing from arrest. The trial of some of the prisoners commenced yesterday afternoon. Intense ex-citement prevails among both whites and blacks. The negro women are violent in denunciation of the action of the whites and are thronging the streets.



AUCTION SALES.

THIS AFTERNOON. PEREMPTORY SALE OF A THREE-STORY AND BASEMENT BRICK HOUSE, NO. 1306 RIGGS STREET NORTHWEST.

I will ofter for sale in front of the premises on TUESDAY THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF JANUARY, 1890, AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., lot numbered 96 in square 239.

Terms: Property sold subject to a deed of trust to secure \$3,500 three year sfrom May 1, 1888, interest 6 per cent, s.a. One-third of the purchase money in excess of said deed of trust to be paid in cash and the balance in one and two years, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, secured by a deed of trust on the property, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. \$100 deposit at time of sale. All conveyancing and recording at purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with int en days or resale at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser.

Ja16-d&ds GEO. W. STICKNEY, Auctioneer.

THE ABOVE SALE IS POSTPONED ON AC-count of the rain to FRIDAY, JANUARY TWENTY-FOURTH, 1890, SAME HOUR AND PLACE. ja21-d&ds GEO. W. STICKNEY, Auctioneer.

TOMORROW. WALTER B. WILLIAMS & CO., Auctioneers. REGULAR SATURDAY SALE OF HOUSEHOLD
EFFECTS, CARPETS, &c., AT OUR SALES
ROOM TOMORROW MORNING, JANUARY
TWENTY-FIFTH, AT TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

2 Large Oil Paintings, 50 Engravings. Rosewood Case Piano, Blankets, Comforts. By order Government, Lot Brass, Old Iron, &c. Terms cash. 1t WALTER B. WILLIAMS & CO., Auctioneers.

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WASHINGTON HORSE AND CARRIAGE BAZAAR.
PEREMPTORY SALE OF HORSES, MALES
AND MULES.
Will be sold at the Bazaar, No. 940 Louisiana ave.,
without reserve, on SATURDAY MORNING, JANUARY TWENTY-FIFTH, at TEN O'CLOCK, a carload of Horses, Mares and Mules from the Cumberland
Vailey, Pa. The attention of persons wishing to purchase good Working and Driving Horses is called to
this sale. [1t*] S. BENSINGER, Auct. THOMAS DOWLING, Auctioneer.

REGULAR SALE AT AUCTION ROOMS SATUR-DAY, JANUARY TWENTY-FIFTH, 1890, COM-MENCING AT TEN O'CLOCK, EMBRACING EVERY DESCRIPTION OF HOUSEHOLD EF-FECTS,

AT TWELVE O'CLOCK, HORSES, NEW AND SECOND-HAND CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, WAGON-, &c. SEVERAL MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, 1823-2t

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MORTGAGE SALE OF FRAME HOUSE AND LOT AT HYATTSVILLE, MD.

Whereas, desault has occurred in the payment of a certain mortgage, secured to be paid upon the herein described real estate, which mortgage is recorded in Liber J.W.B. No. 10, folio 1 et seq., one of the land records of Prince George's county, Maryland.

Now, therefore, as attorney for the Hyattsville Build ng Association of Hyattsville, Prince George's county, Md., the mortgagee, I will offer for rale at auction to the highest bidder on SATURDAY, JANU. ARY TWENTY-FIVE, 1890, at FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., in front of the premises in Hyattsville, Md. Lots thirty-seven (37) and thirty-eight (38) in R. P. Evan's addition to Hyattsville, said lots being as per piat recorded August 17, 1887, in Liber J. W.B., No. 8, 101io 513, one of the land records for Prince George's county, Maryland. Said premises are improved by a frame house. "I have just heard of McGinty. Isn't it sad?" frame house.

Terms of sale cash.

1326 F st. n.w., Washington D. C.,

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and Hyattsville, Md.

> FUTURE DAYS. WALTER B. WILLIAMS & CO., Auctioneers.

weather ever known on the Atlantic. While in the English channel she encountered strong on Seventh Street Between R and S STREETS NORTHWEST, AT AUCTION. (NO. 1724.)
On TUESDAY, JANUARY TWENTY-EIGHTH, 1890, at HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., we shall sell, in front of the premises, a valuable Lot, fronting on 7th street northwest, improved by a three-story brick, with store room, having a good front and depth Terms made known time of sale.
WALTER B. WILLIAMS & CO.,

> PEREMPTORY AUCTION SALE BY CATALOGUE

A LARGE COLLECTION OF MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS,
MOST OF THEM BEING IN ELEGANT CONDI-TION, FINELY BOUND AND ILLUSTRATED, REPRESENTING ALL THE CELEBRATED WRIT-ERS OF FACTS AND FICTION, THE WHOLE MAKING ONE OF THE
MOST INTERESTING OPPORTUNITIES

EVER OFFERED IN THIS CITY TO SECURE GOOD BOOKS,
TO BE SOLD IN OUR COMFORTABLE BOOK MONDAY AND TUESDAY EVENINGS NEXT, JANUARY 27 BEGINNING AT HALF-PAST SEVEN O'CLOCK EACH EVENING.
CATALOGUES READY AND BOOKS OPEN FOR

INSPECTION FRIDAY MORNING AFTER 8 A.M. RATCLIFFE, DARR & CO., Auctioneers. DUNCANSON BROS., Auctioneers.

TRUSTEE'S SALE, UNDER DECREE, OF PREMISES NOS. 434 AND 436 FOUR-AND-A-HALF STREET SOUTHWEST.

By virtue of a decree passed by the Supreme Court of the District of Councils.

the District of Columbia in Equity cause No. 12127 Herfurth et al, vs. Burkhard et al, I will sell, at public auction, in front of the premises, on TUE-SDAY the is not seriously hurt.

The Hudson Freezing Over.
The Hudson at Castleton and Schodack was found to be frozen over at daylight yesterday morning, but the ice is rough and dirty. A snow storm prevailed all the afternoon, but the weather tonight is clearing. The snow that fell helped to make ice.

Going to Prison Late in Life.

Louis P. Aldrich, aged seventy-two, formerly in practice as a physician at 46 Beach street.

Herfurth et al., vs. Burkhard et al., I will sell, at public action, in front of the premises, on TULEDAY the FOURTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1890, at HALE-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., that certain parcel of real estate in the city of Washington, D.C., the same being all that north part of lot numbered 1307 as the same is of record in the office of the surveyor of the bistrict of Columbia, fronting 30 feet 6 inches on 4½ street west and extending cast in parallel lines with that width to the public alley in the rear of said lot, with the appurtenances. The improvements consist of two two-story and atthe brick bundings.

Terms of sale: All cash. All conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

MEYER COHEN, Trustee,

921 F st. n.w.

DUNCANSON BROS., Auctioneers.

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TRUSTER'S SALE OF BRICK HOUSE AND LOT SITUATED ON TENTH STREET BETWEEN F AND G STREETS NORTHEAST-HOUSE NO. 617.

AND G STREETS NORTHEAST-HOUSE NO. 617.

By virtue of a deed of trust duly recorded in Liber No. 1428, folio 349 et seq., one of the land records of the District of Columbia, I will set on TUESDAY THE TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1890, AT HALF PAS: FOUR O'CLOCK P. M., in front of the remises, the following described land and premises, situate in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, and designated as lot numbered twenty-nine (29) in chappel's subdivision of lots in square numbered nine hundred and sixty, as recorded in surveyor's office of said District in look k.L.H., folio 158, together with all the improvements, ways, easements, rights, privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise ap, ertaining. This lot will be sold subject to two certain deeds of trust, one for \$1,400 and one for \$500.

Terms: Cash over and above the two trusts noted. Terms of safe to be complied with in ten days, otherwise the trustee reserves the right to resell the property at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser after five days'; juble notice of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C. Conveyancing, & c., at ; urchaser's cost. Adeposit of \$200 required at time of sale.

CHAS. W. DARR, Trustee.

HOMAS DOWLING, Auctioneer. TRUSTEES' SALE OF IMPROVED REAL ESTATE

TRUSTEES' SALE OF IMPROVED REAL ESTATE
ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF N STREET BETWEEN FOURTH AND FIFTH STREETS
NORTHWEST.
By virtue of a deed of trust, duly recorded among the
land records of the District of Columbia in Liber 1331,
folio 370 et seq., we shall seil at jubnic auction, in
front of the premises, on FRIDAY THE THIATYFIRST DAY OF JANUARY, 1890, AT HALF-PAST
FOUR OCLOCK I M., the following described Teal
estate, situated in the city of Washington, in said District, and distinguished as parts of original lots numbered twenty-live (25) and twenty-six (26) in square
numbered five hundred and thirteen (513), beginning
for the same at a point on N street 20 feet east of the
northwest corner of said lot 26, and running thence
south 80 feet; thence west 28 feet; to the place of beginning,
together with the improvements, &c., consisting of a
brick building.
Terms of saile; One-third cash, residue in two equal

together with the improvements, &c., consisting of brick building.

Terms of sale: One-third cash, residue in two equal payments at one and two years respectively, six percent interest, payable half yearly, and a cured by deed of trust on the property sold, or all cash, at opion of purchaser. Deposit of \$100 required at time of sale. All conveyancing, &c., at cost of jurchaser. Terms to be complied with in ten days or deposit forfeited.

CHARLES H. CRAGIN. Trustees.

GEO. W. STICKNEY, Auctioneer, 936 F st. TRUSTEES' SALE OF VERY VALUABLE IMPROVED PROPERTY, BEING HOUSES NO.
1003, 1005 AND 1097 V STREET NORTHWEST,
NOS. FROM 909 TO 925 W STREET NORTHWEST AND 2203 AND 2205 TENTH STREET
NORTHWEST.

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NORTHWEST.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust recorded in Liber
No. 1422, folio 25, et seq., one of the land records for
the District of Columbia, and at the written request
of the party secured thereby, we will offer for sale, in
front of the premises, on SATURDAY, the FIRST
DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1890. at HALF-PAST FOUR
O'CLOCK P.M., the following described property in
the city of Washington.

Terms of sale 31, 32 and 83 m Samuel G. Stewart's
subdivision of lots numbered 2, 3 and 4 in John G.
Adams' recorded subdivision of square numbered 31,
and Lots 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 76, 77 and 78
(78 formerly known as 74) in Samuel G. Stewart's
subdivision of square 357; Lots in square 331, sold
subject to a deed to trust to secure the sum of 44,500.

Terms of sale one hair cash and the balance in one
year, with interest at the rate of 6 per centum per annum; payable semi-annually or all cash at option of
purchaser's coat. Terms to be complied with in ten
days or resale at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser,
after five days' advertisement in some paper published
in the city of Washington.

J. HOLDSWORTH GORDON, Trustee.

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TRUSTEES' SALE OF HOUSE AND LOT KNOWN AS NO. 737 TENTH STREET SOUTHEAST. TRUSTEES' SALE OF HOUSE AND LOT KNOWN AS NO. 737 TENTH STREET SOUTHEAST.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, holding an Equity Court for said District, in a cause wherein John M. Mitchell et al. were complainants and Thomas E. Dant, R., et al. were defendants, we will sell, on MONDAY. FEBRUARY THIRD, A.D. 1890, at HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., at public auction, in front of the premises, all that certain lot and parcel of land situate in the city of Washington. District of Columbia, to wit: Part of lot 27, in square 950, beans the northernmost 27 feet and 6 inches front by a depth of 100 feet and 5 inches, more particularly described in said proceedings, together with the improvements thereon, consisting of a two-story frame house.

Terms of sale: One-third cash, balance in equal installments, secured by notes of the purchaser at one and two years and a deed of trust upon the property sold, or all cash at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of \$100 required on the day of sale. Term of sale to be complied with within 10 days from the day of sale to the trustees reserve the right to resell at the cost and risk of the defaulting purchaser. All conveyancing at the cost of purchaser.

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Office 482 Louisiana ave. n. w.

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Office 1825 7th st. n.w.

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SPLENDID BROWN STONE FRONT DWELLING NORTHWEST CORNER OF FOURTEENTH AND K STREETS NORTHWEST, FRONTING 24 FEET ON K STREET AND 135 FEET ON FOURTEENTH. By authority of trust vested in me I will sell in front of the premises on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, JANUARY THIRTIETH, at HALE-PAST FOUR OCLOCK,

JANUARY THIRTIETH, at HALE-PAST FOUR OCLOCK,

LOT 1. SQUARE 217,

Fronting 24 feet on K street and 135 feet on 14th street. This lot is improved by a 3-story and basement brown stone front dwelling and a 2-story brick stable, and adapted for private residence, club house or can be converted into business places.

Terms: One-quarter cash; balance in equal installments at one, two and three years, notes to bear 5 per cent interest per annum, payable semi-annually, and to be secured by deed or trust on the premises sold, or all cash, at option of purchaser. A deposit of \$1,000 required at time of sale. Conveyancing, &c., at purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with in fifteen days, otherwise the right reserved to resell at the risk and cost of defaulting purchaser, after five days' public notice of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE OF TWO FIVE-GLASS LOHNER LANDAUS.

By virtue of two deeds of trust, dated respectively September 15, A.D. 1888, and October 16, A.D. 1888, and duly recorded in Liber 1361, folio 374, and Liber 1361, folio 376 et seq., one of the land records for the District of Columbia, and at the request of the parties secured thereby, I will sell at public suction on TUESDAY MORNING, I will sell at public suction on TUESDAY MORNING, ANUARY TWENTY-EIGHTH, 1890, commencing at TEN O'CLOCK, in front of the AUCTION ROOMS OF RATCLIFFE, DARR & CO., 920 PENNSYLVANIA AVE. NORTHWEST,

TWO FIVE-GLASS LOHNER LANDAUS,
Mentioned in schedule "A," sttached to said trusts,
TERMS CASH.

WM. W. CHAMBERS, Trustee.

DEREMPTORY SALE OF AN ELEGANT 3-STORY
AND BACK BUILDING BRICK HOUSE, NO.
15:22 NINTH STREET NORTHWEST.
I will offer for sale in front of the premises on
WEDNESDAY THE TWENTY-SECOND DAY OF
JANUARY, A.D. 1890, AT HALF-PAST FOUR
O'CLOCK P.M., lot 166 in square 365.
Terms: Property sold subject to a deed of trust to
secure \$5,000 3 years from November 8, 1887. interest 6 per cent s. a. One-third of the purchase
money in excess of said deet of trust to be paid in cash
and the balance in 1 and 2 years with interest at the
rate of 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually,
secured by a deed of trust on the property, or all cash,
at the option of the purchaser. \$100 deposit at time
of sale. All conveyances and recording at purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with in 10 days or resale at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser.

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STREET NEAR O STREET SOUTH.

Under and by notice of a deed of trust from David C.
Oswald, dated May 13, 1889, recorded among the land
records of the District of Columbia in Liber 1409,
iolio 146 et seq., confirmed by a deed of trust from said
owald in Liber 1428, folio 155, the undersigned
trustees will sell at public auction in front of the
premises on SATURDAY 1HE FIRST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1890, AT FOUR O'CLOCK P. M., all of lot
74, in John McLean and others' subdivision of square
546, in the city of Washington, D. C. Said lot fronts
16%, ft. on 4% street and is improved by a new brick
house. house.
Terms of sale: One-half in cash; residue at one year

Terms of sale: One-half in cash; residue at one ye with interest at 6 per cent, payable semi-annually, which note of purchaser, secured by deed of trust the property sold, to be given, or all cash, at option purchaser. A deposit of \$100 when bid accepted a terms of sale to be complied with in ten days af day of sale, otherwise the trustees reserve right to sell at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser.

WM. E. EDMONSTON,

Trustee, 500 5th st. n.w. C. H. WILLIAMSON, DUNCANSON BROS., Auctioneers. ja20-d&ds

THOMAS DOWLING, Auctioneer.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF IMPROVED REAL ESTATE IN GEORGETOWN, KNOWN AS PREMISES NO. 1355 TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET.

By virtue of a deed of trust, duity recorded among the land records of the District of Columbia in Liber 1369, folio 253 et seq., we shall sell at public auction in front of the premises on SATURDAY the F-RST day of FEBRUARY, 1890, at HALF PAST FOUR O'CLOCKP. M., the following described real estate, situated in Georgetown, in said district, and distinguished as part of Holmead's addition thereto (square 08) and described as follows: Beginning for the same at a point on the east side of Monroe (now known as 27th) street, 30 feet south from Beall (now known as 0) street and running thence east 120 feet; thence south 30 feet to the place of beginning, together with the improvem eats, &c., consisting of two-story frame house. Terms of sale: One-third cash, residue in two equal payments at one and two years respectively, six per cent interest, payable half-yearly, and secured by deed of trust on the property soid, or all cash, at option of purchaser. Deposit of \$100 required at time of sale. All conveyancing, &c., at cost of purchaser. Terms of sale to be compiled with in ten days or deposit forfeited.

CHARLES H. CRAGIN: Trustees.

THOMAS DOWLING, Auctioneer.

CHANCERY SALE OF VALUABLE SUBURBAN PROPERTY NEAR TENEETIOWN, D. C. AND CONTAINING TWENTY ACRES OF LAND, BEING PART OF "FLETCHALL'S CHANCE" AND ENOWN AS THE HANES PROPERTY. By virtue of a decree of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, passed in Equity cause No. 11137, I will sell, at public auction, on the premises, on MONDAY the TWENTY-SEVENTH day of JANUARY, 1890, at THREE O'CLOCK P. M., part of a tract of land called "Fietchall's Chance," situated about one-half mile northeast of Tenleytown and adjoining the property of Geo. A. Armes, and containing about twenty (20) acres, and being known as the Hanes property. about twenty (20) acres, and being known as the Hanes property.

Terms of sale: One-third cash and the balance in one and two years, secured by deed of trust on the property sold, or all cash, at the purchaser's option. I axes will be paid to day of sale. A deposit of \$200 will be required at the time of sale. If the terms are not compiled with in ten days the property will be resold at the cost of the defaulting purchaser. Conveysancing and recording at purchaser's cost. GEORGE E. HAMILTON, Trustee, Sun Building.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF A TWO-STORY AND BASE
MENT BRICK HOUSE ON FOUR-AND-A-HALF
STREET NEAR O STREET SOUTH.
Under and by virtue of a deed of trust from William
Z. Partello dated May 13, 1889, and recorded in Liber
1409, folio 127, one of the land records of the District
of Columbia, the undersigned trustees will sell at public auction in front of the premises, on SATURDAY,
THE FIRST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1890, AT FOUR
O'CLOCK P. M., all of lot seventy-two (72) in John R.
McLean and others' subdivision of square 546 in the
city of Washington, D. C. Said lot fronts 164 feet on
44 street and is improved by a new brick house.
Terms of sale: One-half in cash, residue in one year,
with interest at 6 per cent payable semi-annually, for
which note of purchaser secured by deed of trust on
the property sold to be given, or ali cash, at option of
the purchaser. A deposit of \$100 when bid accepted
and terms of sale to be complied with in ten days after
day of sale, otherwise the trustees reserve the right to
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